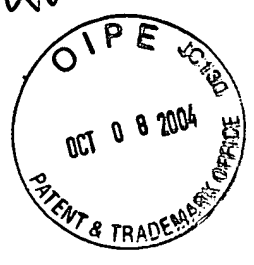


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Sir:

In response to an Office Action dated July 8, 2004, please amend the application as follows. No claims are canceled or added.